20 January 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training and Education	
FROM :	STAT
Chief, Training Support Branch, NPIC	
SUBJECT : Component Training Courses	•
1. Director of Training and Education concurrence is requested for the	
rental of two video short courses to train several NPIC engineers and technicians	STAT STAT
2. The programs we wish to obtain are:	
a. Statistical Independence - The fundamental concept	•
of statistical independence is defined and its meaning is illustrated through a number of examples - The utility of this concept in probabilistic analysis is discussed briefly.	
The cost for a 5-day rental of the program is \$28.00.	
b. Combination of errors - Derivation of formula for external error propagation where quantities are multiplied together - Analogy with aiming at a target - Corresponding formula where quantities are added or subtracted - Formulae applied to a clipper micrometer and a speedometer.	
The cost for a 5-day rental of the program is \$44.00.	
3. This will be NPIC's first experience with these programs. Should they prove beneficial for long term usage, NPIC may wish to purchase them. The purchase cost is \$226.00 each.	STAT
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CONCUR:	
25 JAN 1982 Director, Office of Training and Education	

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